

Finance Committee Meeting Minutes May 15, 2012 6:30 PM, Teacher's Room

Tyngsborough Elementary School

Tyngsborough, Massachusetts

Members: Robert Mullin, Chairman

Chris Mellen, Vice Chair

Scott Hammer

Linda Geyer Darryl Wickens

Attendees: Michael Gilleberto, Town Administrator

Kerry Colburn-Dion, Town Treasurer Joint meeting with Board of Selectmen

1. Open Session

Motion to come into session: Linda Geyer
Motion Second: Scott Hammer

Vote: 3-0-0

2. Special Town Meeting Warrants

Article 1 consisted of Transfers from Departments that expect to have a surplus to Departments that are expected to have a deficit by end of FY2012.

Majority of those items were

- Snow and Ice (\$45,000), transfers from Expenses to Salaries
- Legal "Other" expenses to be covered in the amount of \$50,000 due to specialized legal contract negotiations advise
- \$92,000 coverage needed in the Police Salaried line item due to collective bargaining Quinn bill payment acceptance

• Additional \$90,000 to cover Police Salaries due to additional days paid and overtime **Total of transfers amounted to \$302,146.**

Motion to recommend Article 1: Linda Geyer
Motion Second: Scott Hammer

Vote: 4-0-0

Article 2: Mr. Jeff Hannaford, Sewer Commission Chair was present and reviewed the request with the joint members. The Sewer Commissioners are looking to transfer the sum of \$149,983.66 from the Sewer Enterprise Fund Retained Earnings Reserve to the Sewer Enterprise Fund Capital Outlay Account for Fiscal year 2012.

Motion to recommend Article 2: Linda Geyer
Motion Second: Darryl Wickens

Vote: 3-0-2 Abstains due to lack of knowledge

3. Request For Transfer from the FinCom Reserve Account

\$750.00 to pay abutters of land taken by the town to create an easement on Cedar Road.

Motion to Approve: Chris Mellen Motion Second: Linda Geyer Vote: 5-0-0

\$1,400.00 to pay for plumbing repairs at the Council on the Aging

Motion to Approve: Linda Geyer
Motion Second: Darryl Wickens

Vote: 5-0-0

\$259.90 Printing of Covenant Documents

Motion to Approve: Linda Geyer
Motion Second: Scott Hammer

Vote: 5-0-0

4. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn: Linda Geyer Motion Second: Chris Mellen

Vote: 5-0-0